

TSE minutes January 6 11026

Twin Falls

Jay Blacksher, Omak Leija, Lara McLean, Chad Smith, Brandy Bartholomew, Kevin Kraal, Larron Sant, Brenda Gully, Tom Mortimer, Christina Stevens, Jeff Carl, Nicole Noltensmeyer, Erinn Neilson, Bobbi Hapayan, James Sievers, Kent Holyoak, Mark Phillips, Larry Troxell, & Stephanie Wright.

14:05 Brenda moved that the minutes be approved, Scott seconded. Maria (by phone noted mistake in minutes; that Cassia had not yet had a site visit).

Kevin-State update

- They have been reviewing criteria and training for the site visits for credentialing- all criteria for each level are approved and finalized, packets are now out.
- Trauma activation fees- all 3rd party carriers in state are on board. As for stroke/STEMI- payers will pay for activation fees once we can shown improvement in outcomes (estimates 2-3 years).

Shelly-Data

- No update

Tom M.-Education

- State reviewed the training power point & tweaked it a little, making it a little more generic; it should be customized for every site. They thought it was really well done. The group viewed the new version.
- Tom & Lara had an outreach training visit to Carey QRU last night, went very well. We identified that there were a lot of opportunities to help spread this

education throughout communities, using the local care providers at elderly care facilities and school functions, football games, making those local EMS providers TSE “ambassadors”.

- Kevin noted that outreach training is a required part of being qualified by the state & that it needs to be noted in the minutes. Also, it has been requested that after an outreach session, the educators should email the Secretary their class sign in sheet. It was decided that a better way would be to start a Regional Dropbox for records of the training. This will ensure that we are all checked off on that requirement. Brandy will tap into high schools to see if students could use TSE outreach as senior projects.

Lara-grants

- According to FEMA grant help, the Assistance to Fire fighters grants will be a viable option for the next round of grant opportunities. Health & welfare didn't have an opportunity at this time. There are several local possibilities depending on the area (Wood River Women's Foundation, Deer Creek Foundation, Heinz foundation) & it would be helpful if people could get the names of their local foundations to Lara.

12 Leads- General Discussion

- Jay doesn't see a reason for 12 leads within Gooding city limits, but does see it for outlying areas. He asked if the EDs were willing to accept the transmitted data, Kevin-yes, MVP starting to transmit. Tom mentioned a soon-to-be HIPAA compliant phone app to transmit 12 leads. Mark mentioned that there are refurbished Zolls available, you do need to ensure that they have the right capabilities before committing to purchase.

Roundtable

- Kevin-St Luke's systems will be certifying Wood River & McCall soon.
- MV isn't moving forward as fast as he'd like but it's due to inertia, not pushback. Dr Lamb will most likely be heading up as the Trauma Coordinator. They need a 16 hour trauma education course and a PIPS program (Process Improvement Patient Safety).
- Jay- has called for a rotor 4 times, gotten it once. Thinks we need to have a "Plan B" for alternative transport methods, routes etc. Work around discussed, moving CCT by ground ambulance. Be sure that safety comes first, but put communication chain in motion as early as possible.

15:05 Lara moved that meeting go to closed session, Brandy seconded, all approved. All present signed confidentiality agreement, those on the phone (Maria) emailed them in.

Jay presented a trauma case from Gooding. Noted that scene time was longer than he would have liked, could have gotten aircraft moving towards them sooner.

ASL presented a stroke case involving TPA conversion (Ischemic to hemorrhagic) and a MVC t-bone with blood administration.

16:10 Closed session ended.

Action items

Lara-reminder letter for data power points, look for more grant opportunities, Drop Box for outreach documentation, finish template.

Kevin- will look into HIPAA compliant 12 transmission App.

Kevin Moved that meeting be adjourned, Lara
seconded, all approved.
Next meeting February 3 14:00
St. Luke's Wood River, room TBA.